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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: MORE ON BOMB EXPLOSIONS IN SYRIA

REF: DAMASCUS 1812 AND 1728

1. SYRIAN JOURNALIST WHO HAS PROVIDED US WITH RELIABLE INFORMATION IN PAST TOLD PAO MAY 22 THAT PREVIOUS WEEK TWO BOMBS EXPLODED HAMA, ONE AT INTELLIGENCE OFFICE AND ANOTHER AT BAATH PARTY OFFICE. FIVE PEOPLE WERE REPORTEDLY KILLED IN HAMA EXPLOSIONS. SOURCE ADDED THAT A DAMASCUS G-2 OFFICE WAS SCENE OF ANOTHER EXPLOSION FOLLOWING ONE REPORTED REF 1812. SOURCE SATED THAT SARG BELIEVES THAT IRAQIS ARE "MASTERMINDING" THIS LATEST SERIES OF EXPLOSIONS AND THAT THEY HAVE MANAGED TO PENETRATE SYRIAN INTELLIGENCE SERVICES.

2. COMMENT: VARIOUS ACCOUNTS OF RECENT EXPLOSIONS
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HAVE BEEN CIRCULATING HERE ALONG LINES REPORTED

ABOVE. WE CAN CONFIRM THERE HWS BEEN NOTICEABLE
INCREASE IN VIGILANCE AROUND G-2 OFFICES IN DAMASCUS.
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